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SUBJECT: FUNERAL PROCESSION FOR ASSASSINATED JOURNALIST MARIO
MONTERROSO ARMAS

REF: GUATEMALA 1769

WELL OVER 1,000 ATTENDED FUNERAL PROCESSION MARCH
28 FOR ASSASSINATED JOURNALIST MARIO MONTERROSO ARMAS.
FURD LEADERS MANUEL COLOM AND LEONEL PONCIANO HEADED
CORTEGE WHICH DEPARTED FUNERAL HOME AT 1500 HOURS AND
MARCHED FOR 5 HOURS ALONG 6-MILE ROUTE. BRIEF STOP
AT MUNICIPAL BUILDING WAS WELL ATTENDED BY MUNICIPAL
WORKERS, WHO HAD BEEN GIVEN AFTERNOON OFF. MOURNERS
MARCHED LENGTH OF 6TH AVENUE, THE CITY'S MAIN STREET,
TO CENTRAL PARK, AND PAUSED BEFORE NATIONAL PLACE FOR
MOMENT OF SILENCE, BROKEN BY SOME CRIES OF "MURDERERS."
HEAVY POLICE VIGILANCE WAS EVIDENT, BUT CROWD WAS ORDERLY
AND NO INCIDENTS OCCURRED.
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